

Dear Santa,

ELBA ELEMENTARY Skinner's 3rd grade

Dear Santa,
How are you? I think this is going to be the best Christmas ever! When I wake up every Christmas morning I love seeing all those presents. I have been a good girl this year. I would like a Nintendo 64 and games to go with it. And I would like a bedtime talking book too. I hope you have a nice Christmas. Merry Christmas!
Love, MEAGAN ANDERSON

Dear Santa,
Santa, how are you? Mrs. Claus, how are you? Elves, how are you? Santa, I have been a good boy. I will leave you some chocolate chip cookies and milk. I want some boxer underwear, boxing set, Nintendo 64 games, College Hoops 99, War Zone, and Monopoly board game. I will leave your reindeer some hay and carrots. I will leave your wife an angel.
Sincerely, JUSTIN HAMMONDS

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy. I was wondering if you have a laser and a N64 game? Thanks for coming Santa!
Love, ROBERT PAUL

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy, for Christmas. How do you get in the sky? How do the elves make the toys. Santa, how do the reindeer know when to go? I want a bike, a wind surfer and Dallas T-shirt. My surprise is Nintendo 64 WCW and NWO Wrestling. War Zone and a stereo.
Love, DARELL BERRY

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I am fine. Do you like the North Pole? I would like to have a trampoline. How are your elves? I hope fine. By the way, I've been a good girl. How is Mrs. Claus? Well, it's time for me to go! Love, KAYLA S. JONES

Dear Santa,
How are you? Fine I hope. How is Mrs. Claus? I just want to tell you what I want for Christmas. Can you give me a playstation, a brother, and a pet dog, small like a puppy? Thank you, bye, bye.
Your friend, IAHMAL BROWN

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine. I have been a good boy. I want a stereo and a game called WCW NITRO for Christmas. Are the elves ok? I hope so. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.
Sincerely, BLAKE QUALLS

Dear Santa,
I hope that you and the elves are doing good up there at the North Pole. Are you and the elves doing making presents? Well, I want some sports cards and a desk. My sister wants some beanie babies and my brother wants some videotapes, movies and books. I hope that Rudolph and the other reindeer are ready. Well, the Christmas tree is in the bottom right corner of the playroom. Well, bye, bye.
Sincerely, TREY MARTIN

Dear Santa,
How does your reindeer fly? I want to know how the elves make toys. I want a set of drums, Santa Claus suit, a Sting shirt, and other surprises. How are you doing? Santa would also like some reindeer for Christmas.
Love, C.J. JOHNSON

Dear Santa,
How are the elves? Are they making toys? Ask them to make me a Nintendo 64. How are the reindeer doing? Did they eat my hay last year? Did they make it around the world?
Your friend, CORDEL HOOKS

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. I have been the elves and the reindeer. My sister wants the 98 CD. What I want is Dove Hunting with fishing on it. The last thing is 3D Grizzly Hunting computer games. I would like Mrs. Claus! Is the North Pole comfortable? Please tell the elves to make our stuff.
Love, MATTHEW GIBSON

Dear Santa,
How are you? I'm doing fine so far. Is everything alright in the North Pole? Can you please bring me an amporalase c.d. player, and some Timbalands. That's not much! As I get older I find that Christmas is for giving not receiving. If I could come to the North Pole, I would give each and every one of you a Christmas present.
Love, BRITTANY PHILLIPS

Dear Santa,
How are you? I hope you are fine. I miss Rudolph. Is his nose still red? I hope it is, so that you can see when you come. I don't have a chimney. But I have a front door. I just want only one thing from you. The toy is a N64. I will be going now. Bye.
Love, VINCENT JONES

Dear Santa,
My name is Jesse Oglesby. I have been a good boy. But I don't have a chimney. So go in my front door. I will have some milk and cookies by the Christmas tree and some carrots for your reindeer. Now I want this. I want three Power Ranger in space Mega Swords, a jacuzzi, and a small solder movie for Christmas. Your friend, JESSE OGLESBY

Dear Santa,
How are you doing in the Northpole? I bet it is cold up there. Oh say hi to the elves and the reindeer for me. How are they doing up there? I hope they are doing fine in that cold weather. Tell the elves to make me a double 07 James Bond watch. Tell them to get me a horse to because I love horses. They are my favorite animal. Well I hope you can get me what I want. Can you get me some Tommy Hilfiger clothes and Nike shoes? Well go to go.
Love, KRYSTAN PARKER

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. Where is Mrs. Claus and the elves? Do you have my skates? I want some skates and Wheel of Fortune. Can the sweet elves make it for me? How is the workshop doing?
Your friend, RACHELLE DIXON

ELBA JACK & JILL DAY CARE

Dear Santa,
I want a real baby, a cooking set, a ring, a necklace. Well, just make it ALL the jewelry and make-up you can find at Wal-Mart! And I also want a computer. I've been really good all year.
Love, MARISA

Dear Santa,
I want a Batman, some Bat toys and a Robin. I think I'd like some Babe toys. I also need a Bat Car to ride in, and that green thing too! That's all for me, but can you bring some goodies for Maggie, OH, I just remembered, I need a truck.
Thanks Santa, SAGE

Dear Santa,
I've been very good this year. I need a truck and some cars, and I also want a big tricycle! You could bring Jessica some stuff too.
Bye, Love, DAKOTA

Dear Santa,
I want a horse and a horse trailer to haul him in, and a gun! I'd like to have a riding tractor and a wagon so I could pull Robin around. Oh year, don't forget to bring me a new black cowboy hat, my old one is bent!
See you on the 25th, you ole bugger.
Love, CODY

Dear Santa,
I tried for a while, but it's just a losing battle - I get in trouble no matter what I do!!! Out of the goodness of your heart, could you bring me a new black cowboy hat, my old one is bent!
See you on the 25th, you ole bugger.
Love, CODY

Dear Santa,
I want a rocking horse, a bouncing Tiger, some cars, a farm house with animals, a Barney's Bango, and a lot of surprises. Jordan's gonna leave some goodies out for you, so hurry up and don't be late.
Love, JAXSEN M.

Dear Santa,
I want a rattle gun, a pullover, and a John Deere tractor. You could bring Kyle a few things too! If you have room in the bag, I have been really good all year long. You haven't spoken to my mom lately, have you?
Thanks for everything.
JUSTIN

Dear Santa,
I need a Barbie doll and a real baby so I can have a playmate. I will feed and take care of her. Mom and Dad will hardly even know she's in the house. I also need a tea set, and a trampoline, and a bicycle. Don't hurt your back with the big stuff!!
Love, SAMANTHA

Dear Santa,
I want a play station like Meta has. I want some G.D. Honey I'm Home (my favorite) and a Barbie. Please get Jordan some really nice stuff too. He's been great all year.
Love, ABBEY

Dear Santa,
I want a racing car like Mikeal got for his birthday, a real gun so I can hunt buck deer, a pinto horse as big as Poppy's horse Bubba was, a Big Bad Bow, and a 4 wheeler. I guess that's all for me. You could bring my sis something, she's been pretty good, if you don't count the Saturday that she bugged me and I clawed the stew out of her! Oops! Maybe I shouldn't have reminded you of that.
Love, JOSEPH

Dear Santa,
Please bring me some clothes, a Mealtime Magic baby doll, a baby stroller, and a monkey bar set. I am always good all the time!!
Love, SHELBY

Dear Santa,
I want a bike, an Oppsie Daisy doll, some doll clothes, and lots of candy. If you have any room left around the tree, you could leave my sister some things.
Love, ALYSSA

Dear Santa,
How have you been this year? I want you to bring me a motorcycle, a turtle and a fire truck. I have been really good all year. I think I have got that potty chair routine down pretty good, too!!
Love, RODNEY

Dear Santa,
Someone else is writing this for me (I haven't learned that yet), and I have been really sweet all year, just waiting for your visit. I would like a baby doll, and a wagon. Please bring my mommy something really special. Thanks.
Love, MORGAN

Dear Santa,
I have been sweet as an angel all year (Someone told me there was a big payoff at the end of the year if I was good!) I want a baby doll. Some CANDY, a new pacifier - somebody at my house keeps hiding my old one from me - and some CANDY!!!
Love, KATIE

Dear Santa,
I know you are going to have to make a special trip just for our house, but I've got to have a few things! I want a Barbie jeep, a Barbie house, a Barbie cup, some candy and a baby doll. If the load gets crowded, you can throw out some of the other kids' things. After all, they've been here longer and gotten more stuff. I've only been here a couple of years!!!
Love, CAITLIN COOPER

Dear Santa,
I have been so good all year you would not believe it!! I want a fire truck, a football and lots of toys. Brent might need something too. I'll get back with you about his list later.
Love, WILL

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, a Barbie jeep, and a Barbie car. (Don't forget Marl, she wants 2 Barbie dolls). I want you to bring me a PINK bicycle. I need a Barbie phone too. My daddy wants a blue bicycle. Please bring my mom something special, she takes real good care of me!! I have been so good, just check with Miss Sue, Miss Diane, and Miss Heather. I will leave you some cookies and milk. You do remember how to get to my house, don't you?
Love, WHITNEY

Dear Santa,
I want a rocking horse, a talking Poo bear, an ABC Elmo, a baby doll, a purse, and a lot of surprises. I'll leave some cookies and milk out for my baby and something for my mom.
Love, JORDAN M.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kelsae Fillingim and I am 3 years old. I have been good this year and I want a baby doll with a bottle and a pacifier. I need a bath tub for my baby and something for my mom.
Love, KELSEA

Dear Santa,
My name is Thomas Hobbs and I am 2 years old. I want a toy truck and tractor and some new work pants so I can help my Papa on the farm.
Thank you, THOMAS

Dear Santa,
I want a single Elmo, a four-wheel tractor, a tractor and some new work pants so I can help my Papa on the farm.
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Dear Santa,
My name is Nikki Nelson and I am 4 years old. I want a Oopsy Baby, a Baby Check-up and a Babe Trike and Go for Christmas. Santa, I love you.
NIKKI

Dear Santa,
My name is Hobi Hussey and I am 8 years old. For Christmas I want a Tyco R/C Bulldozer, a gigantic excavator and dozer and a real gun and some hunting clothes.
Love, HOBI

Dear Santa,
My name is AHRON McCOLLUGH. I am 3 years old. This year for Christmas I want a toy gun, a toy and a car. And Ms Tammy says I have been very good this year.

Dear Santa,
My name is Jessica Whitehead, and I am almost 2 years old. For Christmas I want a new doll, a toy phone (one like they have at day-care) and some blankets for my dolls.
Love, JESSICA

Dear Santa,
My name is Lane Marler and I am only 6 months old. I may be small but I know what I want for Christmas. All I need and want is a bottle or two, something to eat and I need lots of love (I already get lots and lots of that but a baby could always use more).

Dear Santa,
My name is Hunter Bass and I am 4 years old. This year for Christmas I want a toy gun, a jeep, a puppy that I will name Jimmy. PLEASE bring me the puppy.
Thank you, HUNTER

Dear Santa,
My name is Kailly Jernigan and I am almost 3. I want a horse and a slide and a horsey. Don't forget the swing and a tom kitty cat.
Love, KAILLY

Dear Santa,
My name is Heidi McLeod and I am 2 years old. I want a pink bike. I saw at Wal-Mart when my mom and dad were getting groceries and I want the blue one.
Thank you, HEIDI

Dear Santa,
My name is Abby Whitehead and I am another one of the babies at Little Critters Day Care. My age is 10 months. I would like a Graco Rocking Entertainer and lots of hugs.
Love, ABBY

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THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1998

A horse with a car and a triler. Barbie house with different Barbies. And a car that you ride in.
SARAH BANE
A T-set that has Barbies, a horse, some clothes.
BROOKE WEEKS

A bike, yo-yo, a snake Beany Baby, a new pair of shoes, a Christmas tree.
BRENNEN SCHINDLER
Green truck & trailer, new bike, a bucket, and dump truck.
BENJAMIN PEACOCK

A Barbie doll, a Barbie kitchen, and Barbie house.
BAILEY DAUGHERTY

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A puzzle, and a baby doll.
BROOKE MANNING

A "BIG" horse.
AVERY HATAWAY

A Tette Tubbie and Frosty Snowman.
PAIGE DEWBERRY

A Tette Tubbie (a purple one) and a baby.
KEELEY DAUGHERTY

Want Mommy.
PEYTON WILKERSON

A car, boots and a basketball.
STONE COLLINS

Ball, truck.
CHASE MOSELEY

A ball.
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EDITORIAL

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

Last week would have been the better time to remind our readers about recycling. With all the Christmas packaging in virtually every home in Elba, the total counts up fast. If all homeowners will carry their cardboard boxes, newspapers, cans and plastics down behind the old high school, it will be a big boost to the Elba recycling effort. The savings in on multiple fronts: it saves the costs of dumping at the landfill, it adds money to the operating fund of the city when they sell the materials to the recycling firm. Of course there is the flag-waving incentive of helping preserve the planet for our grandchildren and their grandchildren.

This week is a time for reflecting on the past year. We can say, with humble thanks, that 1998 has been a good year for us... considering everything. Sure we suffered from the March flood. Sure we got mad at the flooding and when things didn't go exactly as we thought they should following the flood. But that is life. The important thing is that we survived and are paying our bills (most of them anyway). Elba is rebounding on a stronger foundation, etc. It is our firm belief that the community is in for a steady movement upward, on whatever scale you choose to use as a measurement. Let's help it progress and savor every minute of it!

Happy New Year and be careful. We all made it through Christmas and now we need to concentrate on our actions while celebrating the birth of a new year. We want you to stay around and enjoy life with us!



OATH OF OFFICE... On Wednesday afternoon, December 23, 1998, newly elected State Representative Terry Spicer (right) was administered the oath of office by Circuit Judge Thomas Head. The swearing-in ceremony was held in the office of attorney Jackson W. "Bill" Stokes, who is the Chairman of the Coffee County Democratic Party. Spicer, who will represent District 91, said that two key things he is interested in at this time are our education system and transportation system. Spicer told those present for the occasion, "The next four years are going to be a very big time for our county and state. I'm looking forward to being involved in that." The first regular session of the state legislature will begin in March.

ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT

Elba General Hospital had the following patients admitted during the time period of December 22, 1998, through December 28, 1998. They were: Ollie Hussey, Belinda Nelson, Judy King, Margaret Simmons, Shannon Hammonds, Cecil Adkins, Jason Mitchell, Evelyn Manning, Brandon Speed,

Mike Brunson, Norman Steller, Lucy Lanier, Minnie Davis, Lawrence Silar, and William Parrish. Persons discharged during the same time period were: James G. Clark, Judy King, Ollie Hussey, Jason Mitchell, Margaret Simmons, and Norman Steller.

Area Happenings

CITY OF ELBA CLOSED. The City of Elba offices will be closed Friday, January 1, 1999, in observance of the New Year's Day holiday. Stand-by crews will be on duty for emergencies involving street, sewer, electrical or water problems. Such emergencies can be reported by calling the Elba Police Department at 897-2555. The garbage collection will be as follows: Monday's route unchanged, Tuesday's route unchanged, Wednesday's route unchanged, Thursday's route unchanged, and Friday's route will be picked up on Saturday by the city's new contractor MDL.

TOWN OF NEW BROCKTON CLOSED. The offices in New Brockton's Town Hall will be closed on the following dates in observance of the holiday season: Thursday and Friday, December 31, 1998, and January 1, 1999. The garbage collection will not be changed, and emergency services will be made available by calling 894-5559.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING. The New Brockton Town Council will meet Monday, January 4, 1999, at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Hall.

COUNTY BOE MEETING. The Coffee County Board of Education will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, January 7, 1999.

ANNUAL CHAMBER BANQUET. The Elba Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet is scheduled for Saturday, January 30, 1999, at 6:00 p.m. at the Elba High School Cafeteria. Guest speaker will be Mark Robbins from Montgomery, AL, and special entertainment has been scheduled.

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County Commission holds final meeting in 1998

by Marvin McIlwain, Editor

The Coffee County Commission held its final meeting of the year on Monday and dished out a little money while doing so. Commissioners also tied up some loose ends from the previous meeting.

District Attorney Mark Fuller appeared before the commission with a request that it assist the Coffee County Public Building Authority (CCPBA) in paving all the rear parking area at the new Enterprise Courthouse.

He told members of the commission that he had learned from the building contractor that the plans called for the paving of the rear parking lot at the new facility to extend just to the rear of the building.

Fuller pointed out to the commissioners that the remaining parking area which includes the area around the District Attorney's office was in need of repaving too. He noted that a considerable portion of the area

was dug up in order to tie the new facility into the city's sewage system. Also, he noted that several places in the pavement were eroding and had become undermined, posing a potentially dangerous situation.

The district attorney stated that he had approached Dr. Bruce Donaldson, president of the CCPBA, about the problem and was told that the authority did not have the funds to do the complete parking lot, however, an estimate to complete the project had been obtained from the paving contractor. The estimate was \$10,000.00.

After discussing the DA's request for several minutes, a motion was made by Commissioner Tom Grimley that an appropriation of \$10,000.00 be made to the Building Authority to fund the paving of the complete rear parking area at the new courthouse.

Commissioner Robert Stephens offered an amendment to the motion which would allow the paving of the parking area around the Elba Courthouse. He noted that it had

been in "bad shape" since the March '98 flooding and needed some work also.

During the discussion of Stephens' amendment, Commissioner Bernest Brooks questioned why this repair work had not been done along with other flood damaged roads. No one had an answer, however, Engineer Tindell told commissioners that if the work was approved, he would check into obtaining some assistance in funding the project.

The original motion along with Stephens' amendment passed with Brooks voting against the amendment and Commissioner Doug Dalrymple abstaining. Both Brooks and Dalrymple said they were for fixing the parking area at the Elba Courthouse but felt that it should not have been tacked on to the "approximation motion."

Under the heading of old business, commissioners followed County Engineer Randy Tindell's from Tractor & Equipment of Montgomery, AL, be accepted on the track excavator. The bids were opened at the last meeting and were tabled until the engineer could review them.

Tindell told commissioners that the lease/purchase option was the best way to go. The price is \$130,945.00 for a used excavator

with 500 hours of operating time. The county will be able to use the excavator for six months and make sure that it is what is needed. The cost of the piece of equipment at that time should the county decide to buy. The commissioners saved just under \$10,000.00 by going with this option rather than a new piece of equipment.

Sheriff Ben Moates addressed the commission briefly concerning a patrol car that was damaged in a deer collision last Sunday morning. He told commissioners that an early estimate for repairing the 1995 Chevrolet Caprice was between \$6,000 and \$6,500 and he needed some guidance as to whether to have it repaired or replace it with a reconditioned one. They will make a decision on the matter at their next meeting.

It was also suggested by County Administrator Wilson Mobley that the possibility of obtaining collision coverage on county vehicles be looked into by the commission. The county presently has liability coverage only.

Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, beginning Monday, December 21, 1998, investigated the following incidents: one burglary, one theft of property, one assault, one running stop sign, four harassments, one DUI, one negotiation of a worthless instrument, and one harassing communications.

The following arrest was made during the week: one for negotiation of a worthless instrument. Traffic citations issued during the week were as follows: one for driving without driver's license, three for speeding, one for running a stop sign, and one for DUI.

Daily activity highlights for the week were as follows:
MONDAY, DECEMBER 21 - River stage - 4.11 feet (6:59 a.m.); Alarm at a residence on Taylor Mill Road (5:59 p.m.); Fight at Elba Hwy. (9:10 p.m.); Wreck reported on Old Samson Road (11:00 p.m.); Fire department dispatched to the wreck on Old Samson Road (11:05 p.m.).

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22 - River stage - 4.21 feet (6:16 a.m.); Alarm at a residence on Jackson Street (2:08 p.m.); Alarm at a residence on Reese Avenue (2:17 p.m.); Alarm at Skinner Road (5:14 p.m.); Wreck reported at the old Hobo Pantry station (8:16 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23 - River stage - 4.16 (6:20 a.m.); County EMS dispatched to a residence on Lee Street (12:31 a.m.); River stage - 4.11 feet (6:21 a.m.); Wreck reported on U.S. Hwy. 84W (10:12 a.m.); Wreck reported at the Dairy Queen (12:22 p.m.); Alarm at CarQuest (7:49 p.m.).

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24 - Rescue squad dispatched to a residence on Lee Street (12:31 a.m.); River stage - 4.11 feet (6:21 a.m.); Wreck reported on U.S. Hwy. 84W (10:12 a.m.); Wreck reported at the Dairy Queen (12:22 p.m.); Alarm at CarQuest (7:49 p.m.).

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25 - Disturbance reported at Burch's

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I would like to use this means to ask for prayer from your readers.

Three years ago I had a heart attack that led to 5-bypass surgery and other heart conditions. The Lord has let me live these three years but now I have some of the same problems - the arteries are blocked again and diseased, and my heartbeat is irregular.

The cardiac surgeons in Dothan don't have an answer for me, but my cardiologist has contacted a doctor in Birmingham who has agreed to do this second surgery, although he says the survival rate is low - 20 percent.

This has been a hard decision to make and is very scary. But, all of my family and friends are praying with me, along with my pastor and church, Mt. Olive Assembly of God Church in Brundidge; and I just felt it would be so good to have more prayers from people and churches around my community.

I must be at University Hospital in Birmingham Jan. 4, with surgery scheduled for Jan. 5.

I will so appreciate your love and prayers, and any response from anyone. I have faith in our Lord and know He can work and no one can hinder Him. Praise Him in the Name of Jesus, and I ask God in Jesus Name for His help and peace of mind and heart.

I am a Christian and love Jesus, and ask that all of you please pray with me, and may God's Will be done.

Thank you.
Helen Christine McWaters
932 Old Samson Rd.
Elba - 897-1612

The Question: Who Governs

Dr. Fred Gainous, Chancellor Ala. Dept. of Postsecondary Education

Recently the relationship between the Alabama State Board of Education and the Alabama Commission on Higher Education has been portrayed as a "feud," or as a contest involving "expansion" and "duplication," and as a "costly burden to taxpayers."

The "feud/expansion/duplication/costly burden to taxpayers" rhetoric in which this issue has been couched is uninformed and misleading. None of those is the issue. The issue is the legal and constitutional standing of the State Board of Education to serve as the ultimate governing authority for Alabama's two-year colleges.

The Alabama Constitution and statutes adopted pursuant to the Constitution clearly establish the State Board of Education as the sole, ultimate governing authority for Alabama's two-year colleges in all respects. In order for those colleges to continue to be accredited, the State Board of Education must demonstrate that it is the sole, ultimate governing authority for two-year colleges, and that it protects its colleges from micro-managing external entities.

Last year, the Governor and both houses of the legislature recognized the Alabama State Board of Education as the sole governing authority for Alabama's public two-year colleges. In his Oct. 15, 1997, correspondence regarding this matter, the Governor stated, "The Legislature intended the State Board of Education to be the ultimate authority in the governance of Alabama's two-year colleges..." He further described ACHES relationship to the two-year colleges as "...very limited in its scope and authority."

The issue is not "off-campus" instruction. The operation of non-permanent instructional sites away from the two-year college campuses is inherent in the mission of two-year colleges. These sites exist to serve the special needs of businesses, industries and the communities in which they are located. It is essential that this be done.

Eighty percent of new jobs available over the next decade will require a minimum of two years of postsecondary education. Seventy-five percent of those working today will still be in the labor force during that time, and will require continuous higher level training. Taking postsecondary training to the people who need it at locations convenient to them is one of the keys to Alabama's economic future.

ACHE at its last meeting attempted to block the State Board of Education's efforts to provide training, at the request of the company, to International Paper at its Riverdale Mill; to provide sonography training in Montgomery, requested by area hospitals; to provide computer and secretarial skills leading to employment, requested

Dear Editor,

President Clinton has, with much personal strength and courage, led this country to prosperity while enduring years of insidious legal attack and relentless, vicious personal attack designed to humiliate and degrade him.

With clever calculation, the President's enemies strum the waltz of resignation. But President Clinton should never resign. Why? Because, if he resigns, then the Republican-controlled Senate to confirm a vice-president, while Republicans in the House of Representatives, who have already revealed that they are willing to spit in the face of the American people for the chance to bound from office a popular President from the opposing party, try to topple Gore and hijack the presidency.

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(this letter intended for publication and supersedes previous letter)

EXPRESS YOUR VIEWS WRITE A LETTER TO THE EDITOR



BUSINESS REOPENS ON SQUARE... Lawford's Radio Shack located adjacent to Lawford's Ace Hardware on the square in downtown Elba has reopened and is ready for business. A ribbon-cutting ceremony was held recently marking the occasion. Pictured above are the participants in the ceremony. They were (l-r): Barbara Hudson, Heather Lawford, Miss Elba Misty Kelley, Wayne and Betty Lawford (owners), Elba Mayor James Grimes, Kaye Whitworth, Herby McCall, Jr. Miss Elba Valerie Moore. Assisting the mayor are Little Misses Cortlin Lee and Taylor Creel.



GRAND OPENING... Riverside Market recently held a ribbon-cutting ceremony to officially announce its opening. The new grocery/meat market has opened in the old Whitman Drug building in downtown Elba. Those taking part in the ceremony are pictured above. They were (l-r): Ricky Bryan, Al New, Barbara Hudson, Miss Elba Misty Kelley, Dana Kelley, Chris Gilley, Elba Mayor James Grimes, Chris English (owner), Kaye Whitworth, Chris Thielen, Jr. Miss Elba Valerie Moore, Q. P. Hudson, and Herby McCall. Assisting Mayor Grimes with the ribbon cutting are Little Misses Cortlin Lee and Taylor Creel.

Alabama Department of Public Health delays lab closings

The Ala. Dept. of Public Health has announced it is delaying any final decision on the closing of its division laboratories in Decatur and Dothan until April 1999. The delay will allow the department, working with members of the local legislative delegations, to secure a supply of mental appropriation from the Legislature when it convenes in March to meet funding shortfalls within the department.

The Clinical Laboratories provide testing for diseases of public health significance such as HIV infection

and other sexually transmitted diseases. The Alabama Bureau of Clinical Laboratories offer diagnostic capabilities unavailable in the private sector, such as testing for rabies.

The existing Health Department system provides private laboratories with reference services. The five state laboratories institute new testing procedures and provide data to other agencies to ensure safe milk and the quality of drinking water through municipal water systems and private water supplies.

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AREA DEATHS

MARY JEAN PATE
Mrs. Mary Jean Pate, age 68, of Rt. 1, Glenwood, died Dec. 27, 1998, at Elba General Hospital.

Funeral services were held Dec. 29, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Culon Davis and Rev. Elbert Smith officiating. Burial was held in the Richland Baptist Church Cemetery, with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include her husband: Jimmie Allen Pate, Glenwood; son and daughter-in-law: Wayne and Leann Tew, Luverne; grandson, Taylor Tew, Luverne; mother: Bertha Harrison, Brantley; two sis-

ters: Bernice Surrells, Brantley; and Betty Campbell, Grady; two brothers: Douglas Harrison, Elba; and Charles Harrison, Prattville.

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Pictured (l-r): Mrs. Randal Sasser, Ms. Sarah Richards, Mrs. Randy Sasser, Mrs. Sasser, honoree; Mrs. Jimmy Martin, Mrs. Lamar Vaughan, Mrs. James Martin

New Year's Recipes

Sandra Coffey
County Extension Coordinator

Here is a menu that features all the favorites of the New Year's tradition - ham, blackeyed peas, turnip greens and cornbread.

You may want to reduce the fat in some of these recipes.

BAKED HAM SLICE

1 (3-1/2 - 4 lb.) ham slice,
about 2 inches thick
1/2 cup apple juice or cider
1/4 cup maple-flavored syrup
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
1/4 tsp. dry mustard
Dash of ground cloves

Place ham slice in a 12x8x2-inch baking dish, combine remaining ingredients, and pour over ham slice. Cover and bake at 350 for 45-50 minutes or until tender. Serve with drippings if desired. 8 servings

SAUCY TURNIP GREENS

2 pounds of fresh turnip greens
with roots
3 cups water
1/2 cup onion
1/2 tsp. salt
3 slices bacon

1 Tbsp. all-purpose flour
1/4 tsp. sugar
2 Tbsp. vinegar

Pick and wash greens. Peel roots, cut in half. Combine greens, roots, water, and salt in a large Dutch oven and bring to a boil. Reduce heat, cover and simmer one hour or until greens and roots are tender. Drain, reserving 1 cup liquid.

Cook bacon in a skillet until crisp; remove bacon, reserving drippings in skillet. Crumble bacon and set aside. Sauté onion in drippings. Add to greens in Dutch oven.

Dissolve flour and sugar in vinegar; stir in reserved cooking liquid. Add mixture to greens; cook over medium heat, stirring occasionally, until thickened. Stir in the reserved bacon. 6 servings.

SOUTHERN CORNBREAD

2 cups self-rising cornmeal
1 egg, beaten
1/4 cup shortening, melted
1-1/2 cups buttermilk

Combine all ingredients; stir well. Grease an 8-inch square baking pan; heat in a 450 degree oven for 3-5 minutes or until very hot. Immediately fill with cornmeal mixture; bake at 450 for 25-30 minutes. 9 servings.

CHOCOLATE PECAN PIE

2 (1-oz.) squares unsweetened chocolate
1/4 cup coffee
1/4 cup butter or margarine
4 eggs

1 cup light corn syrup
1/2 cup sugar
1-1/2 cups chopped pecans
1 unbaked 9-inch pastry shell
6-8 pecan halves

Combine chocolate and coffee in a medium saucepan; cook over low heat, stirring constantly until chocolate melts. Remove from heat, add butter. Stir until butter melts; cool.

Combine eggs, syrup and sugar, beat until light and fluffy. Gradually stir into chocolate; stir in pecans. Pour into pastry shell; garnish with pecan halves. Bake at 375 for 40-45 minutes or until filling is set.

BLACKEYED PEAS WITH RICE

2 slices bacon
1 medium onion, chopped
1 (15-oz.) can blackeyed peas, drained

1 (14-1/2-oz.) can stewed tomatoes, undrained
1 cup cooked regular rice
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper

Cook bacon in a large skillet until crisp; remove bacon, reserving 2 tablespoons drippings in skillet. Crumble bacon and set aside. Sauté onion in drippings until tender. Add remaining ingredients, stirring well. Spoon mixture into a 1-1/2 qt. casserole. Bake at 350 for 40 minutes. Garnish with reserved bacon. 6 servings.



FIVE GENERATIONS CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING... Five generations of the Lewis family enjoyed the Thanksgiving holiday together at the home of Keith Lewis in Elba. Pictured are: (seated) Mrs. Johnnie Pearl Lewis, wife of the late John K. Lewis; (standing, right) Kayo Lewis, son of Mrs. Johnnie Pearl Lewis; (standing, left) Keith Lewis, son of Kayo and Jessie Lewis; (kneeling, left) Marsha Free, daughter of Keith and Lyn Lewis; and (behind her) B.J. Free, son of Bryan and Marsha Free.

Enterprise Junior Women's Club plans dance

The Enterprise Junior Women's Club annual dance is scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 13, 1999, at Ft. Rucker's NCO Club. Entertainment will be provided by the Dr. Feelgood Band from Montgomery.

Tickets for the dance are \$15.00, with all proceeds supporting a local organization. To purchase tickets contact any EJCW club member or call Kelly Speigner at 347-7558, or Vonda Cotter at 347-2002.

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***It's a Man's Thing... Calling All Men... Brotherhood Program of the Rocky Head Missionary Baptist Church will be held Jan. 10 at 2 p.m.; call to worship - Pastor A. R. Williams; devotional - Bro. R. Hooks, Bro. M.C. Lawrence and Bro. Richburg; music by choir; welcome - Bro. John Nelson and Bro. B.V. Jones; reflections - Bro. D. Crittenden; Mine - Lean on Me - Youth; solo - Bro. Rubin McKinnon; speaker - Rev. J.R. Parks; offering - officers of Oak Grove Mt. Calvary and Good Hope. All churches invited. Special invitation to the Mulberry Lane Church and the Seven Shape Singing Convention.



Grover Belcher celebrates birthday recently

Grover Belcher Sr.'s family and friends hosted a birthday dinner in his honor on Dec. 26, at his home on Old Curtis Road in Elba. Grover says, "God has blessed me and the family in so many ways, and I give Him all the praise for everything. There are problems, sickness and suffering, but Jesus is with me every step of the way. My family is so proud of me - I can't pay the Lord, but I can thank Him."

Relatives and friends attending the dinner and visiting afterwards included Warren Belcher, Dora, Christopher, and Timira, Montgomery; Donald Smith, Barbara and Quinton, Charlottesville, Va.; Hattie Bell Carpenter, Annie Pearl Carpenter, Lucinda Carpenter, and Michael Manning; Isaiah Franklin Jr., Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Franklin, Sr.; Milton Belcher and Bettye, all of Montgomery; James Edward Franklin, Montgomery; Michael Watkins, Camp Lejeune Marine

Base, N. C.; Otis Johnson, Joyce, and Kathy, Tusculum; Theo Johnson, Birmingham; Nathan Belcher, Joyce, Derrick and Jeremy, Lockhart; Alan Belcher, D.J. Belcher, Mike Daniels, Kendyll Belcher, Roderick Rideaux and Evone, Kimberly Rideaux, Andalusia; Wiley Brooks, Jamaica, De'ard and Ree'Nita, Enterprise; Ronnie Russell, Wesley Kelley, Amber Ellison, Curtis Kelley, Connie Moody, Ernestine Kelley, Tony, Kim, Melissa, Jason and Mason Guley; Tawana, together, mess; Eria Belcher and Beatrice of Columbus, Ga.; Martin Jack Jr., Little Creek, Va. (Navy); Martin Jack Sr., Rosezetta, Teresa and Patricia; Chairman and Melissa, Enterprise; Alex Fleming, Tina Chatmon and Daryl, Montgomery; Wiley Brooks, Juanita, Dee'Nard and Ree'Nita, Enterprise.

***Kwanzaa Begins... Kwanzaa was created in 1966 by Professor Maulana Karenga "to restore and reaffirm our African heritage and culture." Umoja - unity - to strive for a principled family and community, nation, and harmonious togetherness in the World African Community Kujichagulia - self-determination - to define ourselves, name ourselves, create for ourselves, and speak for ourselves; Ujima - collective work and responsibility - to build and maintain our community together to make our sisters and brothers' problems our own problems and to solve them together; Ujamaa - cooperative economics - to build our own businesses, control our own community and share in all its work and wealth; Nia - purpose - to make our collective vocation the building and development of our community in order to restore our people to their traditional greatness; Kuremba - creativity - to do as much as we can, in whatever way we can, to leave our community more beautiful and beneficial than it was when we inherited it. Imami - faith. African American! Celebrate!

***Thinking of you... by Michelle Daniels
Hi Granny Elzida,
It's me - Baby Girl
I just wanted you to know
That not a day goes by
That I don't think of you and
first and cry
When they told me you had
died. The only thing running through my
head was lying.
Still today I can't face the fact
That you are gone.
And deep inside I'll always be

People say you are supposed to rejoice. Because you've gone to a resting place. And I ask them, how can you say? There are so many changes in my life - I thought you'd like to see me. Become someone's wife. I sit and think of all the joys and laughs we had some days. I can be happy, and just out of the blue I feel sad. I remember the time you asked me to help you up. And just my luck - you grabbed my arm so tight. So what I wouldn't give to see you day and night. People say I should let it go. But, Grandma, I can't - I love you so!

***Today is a good day - be grateful - Happy New Year!

Gospel Concert & Barbecue to be held at Kiwanis Community Building

There will be a Gospel Concert and Barbecue Saturday night, Jan. 2, beginning at 7 o'clock at the Kiwanis Community Building in Andalusia. Featured singers will be The Dixie Echoes and The Potter's Clay. Greentree Fellowship Youth will sell BBQ plates for \$5.00, which will be available at 5 p.m. For more information contact Don Cotton at 222-6120.

Annual Watch Night services will be observed at the Mustard Seed Foundation Fellowship Hall Thursday, Dec. 31, beginning at 7 p.m. "Living Proof," Derek Snellgrove, "The Singing Songwriters," and others will be ministering in song, and refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome. The church is located in the Victoria Community on Co. Rd. 211. For more information call Mary Seavey at 347-4630.



Brian Free

Brian Free to appear in concert at Heritage United Methodist

Brian Free, formerly with Gold City and Brian Free and Assurance, will be in concert Jan. 7, beginning at 7 p.m. at Heritage United Methodist Church in Enterprise. The church is located on Rucker Blvd. and the pastor is Tim Trent. There will be no admission, but a love offering will be taken. Everyone is invited.

Mustard Seed Foundation to have Watch Night services

Happy New Year

To all in the Wiregrass. Thank You for your donations and financial contributions. Items donated that were not given to those in need were sold, with the proceeds being used to provide assistance to those in need. We wish you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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By Ricky Mularz

Melanie would have been disappointed in years past if she didn't have a lot of toys under the tree on Christmas morning; however, last week she seemed very much satisfied with just a few toys and a lot of clothes. Melanie has already discovered the labels of certain clothes mean more than others, and I guess Mom and Dad must have told Santa the right labels, because she was pleased with everything she got. Big sister wasn't shut out, but Melissa had to wait a few days later to get a chance to pick out her own clothes. There is no way we would ever have attempted to pick out her clothes, especially since it takes her hours to decide for herself. Oh well, it was a merry Christmas and we at the Mularz house wish you a very "Happy New Year!"

CLEANING OFF THE DESK....

***The Elba Tigers brought home their second tournament championship of the season last week when they posted two lopsided wins to claim top prize in the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament. The Tigers stumbled a little in both games, but let their defense take charge in both wins as it has throughout the season. The Tigers are in another tournament this week in Red Level, and if they could bring home another first place trophy it would get the Tiger fans even more excited about their team. One player that was probably overlooked in the tourney was Derrick Duncan. Duncan, a senior, scored a total of 19 points in the two games and was a spark the Tigers badly needed early on in the win over Arton. Duncan's play should help the Tigers down the line as they tangle with tougher opponents, and are forced to go to their bench for quality minutes off the bench. Hey, the season is still young, but Elba's 10-3 record even has me looking forward to the rest of the season.

***The Elba Lady Tigers claimed second place honors in the Z.C. tournament to move their record for the season to 6-6. The Lady Tigers staged a late rally in the opening round to get past a very talented W.S. Neal team, but then stumbled late in the finals and fell to the Arton Lady Cats. Elba's girls have improved in each and every game this season, and if they remain dedicated should have a real chance at posting a winning record. Keep the faith, girls, you are a good team!

***The New Brockton Gamecocks claimed third place in the Andalusia Christmas Tournament, and could easily have won the entire thing if they had gotten a few breaks. The Gamecocks have turned into a very good basketball team already and may just be the surprise team of the area. Look out, this team is very talented and should have a lot of wins coming real soon.

***The University of South Alabama is looking into starting a football program in the next couple of years, and the folks down in Mobile aren't talking about waiting several years to play a major college schedule. The officials down in Mobile have figured out that it will cost around \$3 million a year to field a team, while revenues should be around \$3.4 million. The Jaguars would play their home games at Ladd Stadium, and with a little luck could be competitive in a very short time. One sportswriter in Mobile suggested that Blount should just represent South Alabama, and while that is only a tongue-in-cheek suggestion, it might not be that bad a thought. Only time will tell....

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Rip W.S. Neal and Arton

Tigers win Zion Chapel tournament

The Elba Tigers competed in the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament last week and claimed two lopsided wins to claim the tournament championship and improve their record for the season to 10-3.

The Tigers opened the four-team event against the 4A W.S. Neal Eagles and posted a 60-40 win, then battled the 2A Arton Purple Cats in the finals and claimed a big 58-33 win to take home the top prize.

Following are highlights of both tournament victories:

ELBA 60

W.S. NEAL 40

The Elba Tigers opened the tournament against the W.S. Neal Eagles, from East Brewton, and used a third quarter surge to take command en route to a big 60-40 win.

The Tigers fell behind 5-3 early in the game, but rode the inside strength of Tim Ware and Wayne Reed to score 12 unanswered points to grab a 15-5 advantage early in the second stanza.

Ware and Reed combined for six points during the run, which was sparked by a Reed dunk with 1:49 left in the quarter that put Elba on top 11-5.

The Tigers took their biggest lead of the half at 27-14 with 29 left in the second quarter on a pair of free-throws by O'Shay Hammond, but at the half saw their advantage shrink to 27-18 as W.S. Neal scored the final four points of the quarter.

The Tigers came out determined to take command in the third quarter, and sparked by eight straight points by Tim Ware, outscored the Eagles 10-0 to open up a 39-21 lead with 4:27 remaining in the stanza.

Two baskets by Tim Ware and a thundering dunk by Ware ignited another Elba rally that pushed the Tigers' lead to 44-23 with 2:39 still left in the quarter, and the Tigers put the game away early in the final stanza as they used a 6-2 run to blow the game open at 52-27 with 5:54 still left in the game!

The Tiger reserves came in during



ELBA TIGERS...TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS - The Elba Tigers, Elba Tiger cheerleaders and their #1 fan took time to pose with the trophy after the Tigers won the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament, last week. The wins upped Elba's record to 10-3 on the season.

during the opening minutes of the game, and Elba led only 8-7 with 5:20 remaining in the first quarter after a long three-point shot by Arton's Chris Boswell.

The Tigers Eric Jordan sparked a 6-0 run as Elba upped its lead to 14-7 with 2:34 remaining in the stanza; however, the Purple Cats refused to fold and cut the Tigers' lead to 18-12 early in the second quarter.

The Tigers went on a 7-0 run to grab a 25-12 advantage with 4:33 left in the half after a basket by Derrick Duncan, but the 'Cats again refused to let the Tigers run away, and closed the half with a 6-2 run to pull within 27-18 at intermission.

Arton was determined it could play with the highly-ranked Tigers as the second half rally to tie the Purple Cats stunned Elba by closing to within 35-30 with 2:24 remaining in the stanza.

A last-second basket by Derrick Duncan upped the Tigers lead to 37-30 entering the fourth quarter, and in the final stanza the Tigers put on a

show defensively as they caused countless turnovers and converted the turnovers into easy points to blow the game open.

The Purple Cats scored the first point of the quarter at the free-throw line to pull within 37-31, but failed to score again until the Tigers had opened up a 48-31 advantage, and then added only one bucket the remainder of the game as Elba ran away and posted the lopsided 58-33 win.

Tim Ware scored 18 points to lead Elba, while Eric Jordan added 14 and Derrick Duncan scored 12. Chris Boswell scored 16 points to lead Arton.

E 18 9 10 21 - 58
A 10 8 12 3 - 33

Elba (58): Jordan 14, Duncan 12, Mudock 4, Reed 8, Wicker 2, Ware 18.

Arton (33): Crenshaw 6, Boswell 16, Senn 6, Smith 5.

Elba (60): Jordan 6, Hodge 3, Duncan 7, Mudock 6, Lawford 1, Reed 6, Hammond 7, Wicker 6, Ware 18.
Neal (40): Ingram 12, Cook 7, Frazier 2, Paul 2, Sims 2, Patton 5, Murphy 5, Woodson 1, Parr 4.

Elba 58
ARITON 33
The Elba Tigers outscored the Arton Purple Cats 23-3 over the final eight and one-half minutes of the game to claim the tournament championship with a commanding 58-33 romp past the outmanned 'Cats.
The two teams swapped baskets

Elba's Mitchell and New Brockton's
Flowers named to Dothan Eagle
"Super 12" high school football squad

The Dothan Eagle announced its 1998 "Super 12" high school football selections last week, and included on the honored list in the Class 1A-3A squad were Elba's Keni Mitchell and New Brockton's Lee Flowers.

Mitchell, a senior, was a three-year starter for the Tigers, and in '98 made 137 tackles to help lead Elba into the Class 3A playoffs. Mitchell recorded 15 tackles for losses, caused five fumbles and recovered four fumbles to spark the Tiger defense.

Flowers, a senior, was a four-year starter for the Gamecocks, and during his senior season helped New Brockton into the Class 2A playoffs. Flowers rushed for 1,451 yards and scored 19 touchdowns to lead the Gamecock offense.

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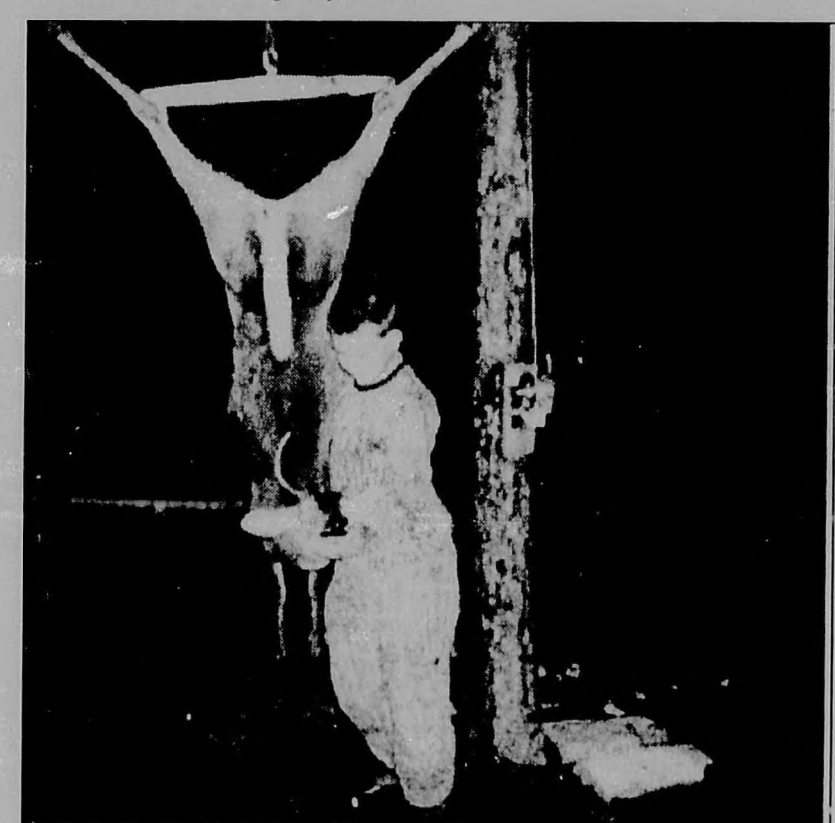
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S.C.A.C. Tournament, in Kinston

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DREW PARKER BAGS THE BUCKS...Drew Parker, the 11-year-old son of Freddie Parker and Charlotte Parker, of Elba, had a busy start to the 1998 deer season, bagging two bucks the first two days. (Above) Drew killed this 3-point on his grandfather's farm on the first day of the season, while (below) Drew bagged this spike on the second day. What a start!



SPORTS

Fall to Arton in finals

Lady Tigers place 2nd in Z.C. tournament

The Elba Lady Tigers competed in the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament last week and posted one win and one loss to claim second place honors.

The Lady Tigers opened the four-team event with an exciting 42-38 win over the W.S. Neal Lady Eagles, but then fell in the championship to the Arton Lady Cats 48-37.

Following are highlights of both tournament games:

ELBA 42

W.S. NEAL 38

The Elba Lady Tigers staged a furious second half rally to down the W.S. Neal Lady Eagles 42-38, in opening round action.

Neither team could find the basket in the opening stanza as Elba sneaked out to a 4-3 advantage. However, W.S. Neal began to take charge in the second quarter and poured in 18 points in the stanza to grab a big 21-12 halftime lead.

ELBA 42

W.S. NEAL 38

Elba (42): Jones 5, Daniels 5, Boyd 6, McKinnon 12, Mack 4, Bludsworth 10.

W.S. Neal (38): Blackmon 12, Lane 5, Bonam 9, Hawthorne 2, Benjamin 10.

ARITON 48

ELBA 37

The Elba Lady Tigers saw their

title hopes dashed in the final stanza as the Arton Lady Cats rallied late to post a 48-37 win, in the championship game.

The Tigers matched the highly-touted Lady Cats on even terms throughout the opening stanza, and led by the inside play of Vaughan Boyd caught Arton at 6-6 late in the quarter. Arton jumped ahead 9-6 early in the second quarter on a three-pointer by Shameka Lowe, and maintained its lead throughout the stanza despite a pair of three-pointers by Elba's Teleisha Daniels.

The Lady Tigers pulled even at 21-21 early in the third quarter on two quick buckets by Detria Jones, and moved ahead 23-22 with 1:57 left in the period on a basket by Casey Skinner.

Arton scored late to sneak back in front 26-25 heading into the final stanza, and then went on a 9-4 run to take a 35-29 advantage with 4:59 remaining in the game.

Teleisha Daniels scored 10 points to lead Elba, while Shameka Lowe led the Lady Cats with 16 points.

A 6 13 7 22 - 48
E 6 10 9 12 - 37

Arton (48): Black 12, Terry 10, Miller 2, Williams 2, Lowe 16, Redding 3, Mauldin 2.

Elba (37): Jones 9, Daniels 10, Boyd 4, McKinnon 8, Bludsworth 2, Skinner 4.

In Z.C. tournament

Rebels fall twice in narrow losses

The Zion Chapel Rebels hosted the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament last week and dropped two close decisions to see their record on the season drop to 2-11.

The Rebels opened the tournament with a 47-44 loss to the Arton Purple Cats, then fell in the consolation game to W.S. Neal 63-57.

Following are highlights of both tournament games:

ARITON 47

ZION CHAPEL 44

The Arton Purple Cats staged a second half rally to pull off a 47-44 upset win over the Zion Chapel Rebels, in opening round action.

The Rebels appeared to be in complete command in the opening stanza and opened up a 12-6 lead in the first quarter, and held on in the second quarter as the Rebels went in at

the half with a 25-22 lead. Zion Chapel began to cool off from the floor in the third quarter, as the Purple Cats closed to within 36-35, and then watched in the fourth quarter as Arton rallied late to post the 47-44 upset win.

Junior Jones scored 15 points and Josh Grantham added 10 to lead Zion Chapel, while Chris Boswell led Arton with 24 points.

Arton (47): Crenshaw 13, Boswell 24, Senn 2, Flowers 2, Johnson 2, Smith 4.

Z.C. (44): C. Grantham 8, Jones 15, Adkinson 8, Faircloth 1, Law 2, J. Grantham 10.

W.S. NEAL 63
ZION CHAPEL 57

The Zion Chapel Rebels saw a late rally fall short as they lost to the W.S. Neal Eagles 63-57, in the consolation game. The Rebels battled the 4A Eagles on even terms throughout the first half and trailed only 31-28 at the half, but then saw the Eagles begin to pull away, and at the end of the third quarter found

themselves down 48-41. The Rebels staged a rally in the final stanza and twice pulled to within three points, but missed several easy shots late as the Eagles held on for the 63-57 win.

Josh Grantham scored 20 points and Junior Jones added 13 to lead Zion Chapel, while Dwain Ingram

scored 27 for W.S. Neal.

W.S. Neal (63): Ingram 27, Crook 6, Frazier 2, Paul 2, Sims 4, Patterson 6, Murphy 14.

Z.C. (57): C. Grantham 6, Jones 13, Adkinson 11, J. Grantham 20, Law 7.

Arton (47): Crenshaw 13, Boswell 24, Senn 2, Flowers 2, Johnson 2, Smith 4.

Z.C. (44): C. Grantham 8, Jones 15, Adkinson 8, Faircloth 1, Law 2, J. Grantham 10.

W.S. NEAL 63
ZION CHAPEL 57

The Zion Chapel Lady Rebels competed in the Zion Chapel Christmas Tournament last week and found the competition to be a little too tough as the Lady Rebels dropped two games to settle for fourth place.

The Lady Rebels opened the four-team event against the Arton Lady Cats and dropped a 54-39 decision, then lost to the W.S. Neal Lady Eagles 62-47 in the consolation game.

Following are highlights of both tournament games:

Arton (54): Barrentine 3, Black 10, Terry 6, Williams 2, Lowe 25, Redding 2, Mauldin 6.

Z.C. (39): Ward 5, Myers 2, Grant 1, Eddins 13, Kidd 16, Flowers 2.

W.S. NEAL 62
ZION CHAPEL 47

The W.S. Neal Lady Eagles pulled away in the final stanza to claim consolation honors with a 62-47 win over the Zion Chapel Lady Rebels. The Lady Rebels hung close with their 4A challengers throughout the opening half and trailed only 27-25 at the half. Zion Chapel remained in the hunt for the consolation win in the third quarter and trailed only 39-37 heading into the final stanza, but the Lady Eagles pulled away late to blow the game open and take the win.

Kayla Eddins scored 20 points to lead Zion Chapel, while Rebecca Kidd added 11 and Kendra Ward scored 10. Bonham scored 17 for Neal.

W.S. Neal (62): Blackmon 16, Lane 13, Edger 2, Bonam 17, Hawthorne 14, Long 1.

Z.C. (47): Ward 10, Grant 5, Eddins 20, Kidd 11.

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The Clinical Laboratories provide testing for diseases of public health significance such as HIV infection and other sexually transmitted diseases. The Alabama Bureau of Clinical Laboratories offer diagnostic capabilities unavailable in the private sector, such as testing for rabies.

The existing Health Department system provides private laboratories with reference services. The five state laboratories institute new testing procedures and provide data to other agencies to ensure safe milk and the quality of drinking water through municipal water systems and private water supplies.

Sanders elected president of C. C. Farmers Federation

Carl Sanders of Brundidge has been elected president of the Coffee County Farmers Federation. Sanders has been farming for 22 years and produces peanuts, corn, cotton, wheat, rye and beef cattle on his 1,000-acre family farm. He has been a member of the Alabama Farmers Federation for 24 years, and has a bachelor of science degree in agricultural science from Auburn University. He and his wife Donna have five children.

Sanders has served as chairman of the County Peanut Committee and is currently president of the Alabama Peanut Producers Association. He is a member of the National Peanut Growers Group and is a director of the American Peanut Council.

Scholarship signup deadline nearing

Students who desire to earn degrees in agriculture or forestry at Auburn University have until Feb. 1 to apply for Alabama Farmers Federation/Alfa scholarships.

The scholarships, of up to \$1,750 per year, are awarded to students who plan to enroll or who currently are enrolled in AU's College of Agriculture or School of Forestry, or who are majoring in agricultural engineering or ag education.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens, exhibit good moral character and citizenship, and exhibit excellent academic potential. In the selection process, preference will be given to merit scholars, freshmen, transfer students and continuing students, in that order.

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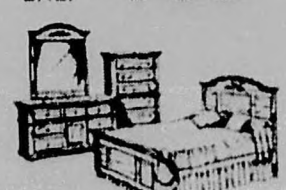
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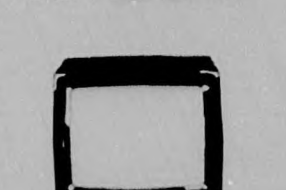
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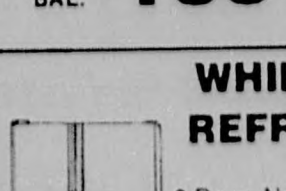


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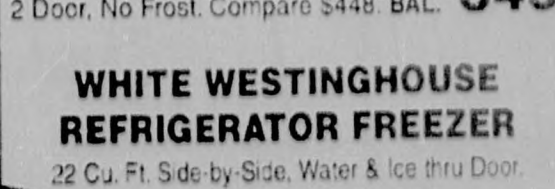


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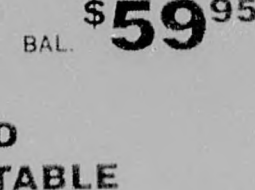
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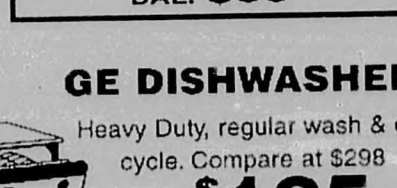
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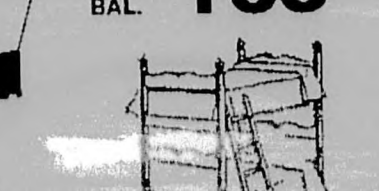
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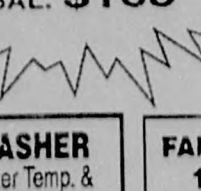
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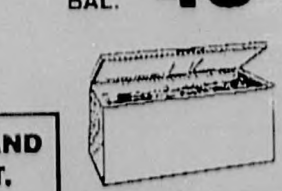
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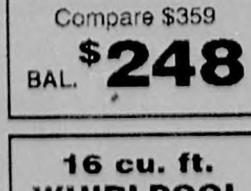
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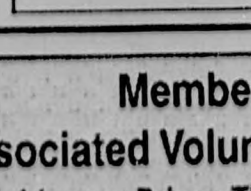
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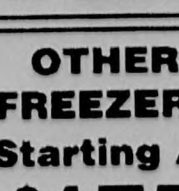
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COMMUNITY NEWS

Forrestry Incentive Program sign-up time announced

The USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service has announced a sign-up for the Forestry Incentive Program (FIP) Jan. 4 - 29, at local offices. FIP supports good forestry management practices on privately owned, non-industrial forest lands. It is designed to benefit the environment while meeting future demands for wood products. Eligible practices are tree planting, timber stand improvement, and site preparation for natural regeneration. For more information call or visit the local NRCS office.

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Laboratory closings postponed

The Ala. Dept. of Public Health has announced it is delaying any final decision on the closing of its division laboratories in Decatur and Dothan until April 1999. The delay will allow the department, working with members of the local legislative delegations, to secure a supplemental appropriation from the Legislature when it convenes in March to meet funding shortfalls within the department.

The Clinical Laboratories provide testing for diseases of public health significance such as HIV infection and other sexually transmitted diseases. The Alabama Bureau of Clinical Laboratories offer diagnostic capabilities unavailable in the private sector, such as testing for rabies.

The existing Health Department system provides private laboratories with reference services. The five state laboratories institute new testing procedures and provide data to other agencies to ensure safe milk and the quality of drinking water through municipal water systems and private water supplies.

Sanders elected president of C. C. Farmers Federation

Carl Sanders of Brundidge has been elected president of the Coffee County Farmers Federation. Sanders has been farming for 22 years and produces peanuts, corn, cotton, wheat, rye and beef cattle on his 1,000-acre family farm. He has been a member of the Alabama Farmers Federation for 24 years, and has a bachelor of science degree in agricultural science from Auburn University. He and his wife Donna have five children.

Sanders has served as chairman of the County Peanut Committee and is currently president of the Alabama Peanut Producers Association. He is a member of the National Peanut Growers Group and is a director of the American Peanut Council.

Scholarship signup deadline nearing

Students who desire to earn degrees in agriculture or forestry at Auburn University have until Feb. 1 to apply for Alabama Farmers Federation/Alfa scholarships.

The scholarships, of up to \$1,750 per year, are awarded to students who plan to enroll or who currently are enrolled in AU's College of Agriculture or School of Forestry, or who are majoring in agricultural engineering or ag education.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens, exhibit good moral character and citizenship, and exhibit excellent academic potential. In the selection process, preference will be given to merit scholars, freshmen, transfer students and continuing students, in that order.

Scholarship application forms are available in all county Farmers Federation offices and Alfa service centers; or by writing to the dean of the College of Agriculture at Auburn University, 107 Comer Hall, Auburn University, AL 36849.

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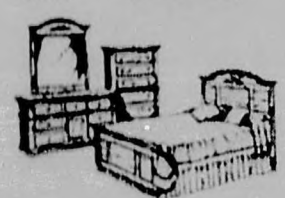
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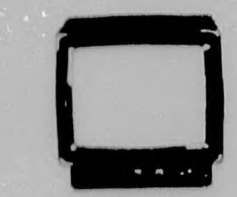
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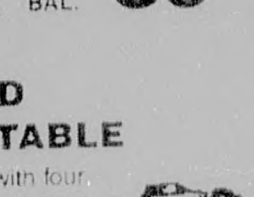
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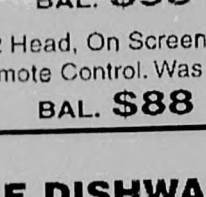
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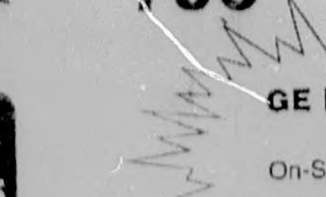
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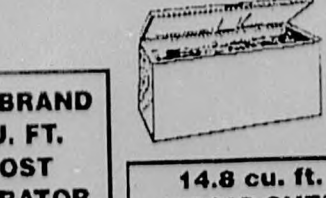
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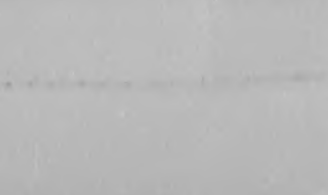
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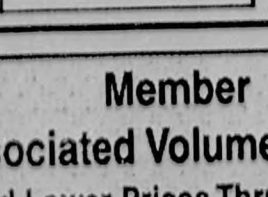
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